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OLD MAN HOOTS A SCHOLGIRL

Little Laura We Was Returning from First Day at School When Childreased Watchman at Sunse Park.

BULLET PIERC LUNG. GIRL'S LII IN DANGER.

Angry Old Man shot, Fired at Boys, Went W, and Laura Fell, Appartly Lifeless, While Compains Fled.

Returning home fr her first day at school Laura West, 10 lives with her parents at No. 727-Third street, Brooklyn, was shot-day and is now dying in the Norweg Hospital.

The bullet was fired by Philip Ryan, the aged watchman at Sunset Park, which is a playground for children and lies between Fifth & Sixth avenues and Thirty-third & Thirty-fourth streets, Brooklyn. Lodged in the child's lung, just ab the heart.

A party of boys at out of school were passing thru the park when they caught sight of the old man. He had made a mistake with the gun, the boys who were with the old man, who had been told that the old man was a watchman, they were teasing him. Toy Ryan was angry beyond beyond accustomed irascibility. After threatening to punish the boys who had baited him, he drew his revolver.

Children Fled Terror.

The children seeing the shining gun in the old man's hand grew terror-stricken and some of the power of locomotion. In a fit anger Ryan fired. The shot went wide, it hit little Laura West as she was ab to run away. The girl dropped if lifeless. The boys scampared away a crowd soon gathered, attracted the report of the pistol. An ambulance was called and the girl was taken the Norwegian Hospital.

The police in try to find out the cause of the shooting, learned that the girl's companions it was the old park watchman. He was placed under arrest.

THREE KILLED BY A FALLING WALL

Eight Other Women Badly Injured When Irony Gave Way and Crated Victims Down in Crash

(Special to The King World.)

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 14.—Three men were killed and eight injured by a falling wall at the wos of the United Gas Improvement Company at Point Breeze this afternoon.

The dead men, all employees of the gas company, were Frank Peterson, John Nelson and Andy Whittaker. The injured men were taken to St. Agnes's and the Methodist hospitals.

A score of workmen are putting up a new wall near the house when the structure suddenly tacked, sagged in the middle and then it fell, carrying the entire force of women with it, burying them under the debris.

At least two of the injured men are reported to be so seriously injured that they cannot recover andix others are badly hurt.

There was great excitement when the accident occurred. A strum of ambulances, patrol wagons and mounted patrolmen raced down Point Breeze avenue in mad haste, while an army of workmen from the oil works lent their aid in the task of rescue.

REBUKED BY PRISONER.

Magistrate Crane Told a Court to Mind His Own Business.

Magistrate Crane questioned various prisoners to-day in the Harlem Court regarding their habit of cigarette smoking.

John Ryan, eighteen, of 20, 209 Third avenue, and Patrick Ahearn, twenty-six, of No. 23 East Houston street, were charged with assaulting Louis Hunter, a negro.

Ryan pleaded not guilty. Ahearn said that the negro had attacked him with a knife, which he had taken away, and had then punished the negro. The negro looked as if he had been through a threshing machine.

"Do you smoke cigarettes?" asked Magistrate Crane of Ahearn.

DELMAR GOES MILE IN 2.00 3-4

Alta McDonald's Horse, Paced by an Auto and a Runner, Fails to Reach Lou Dillon's World's Record.

CONDITIONS WERE GOOD FOR TRIAL AGAINST TIME.

Thousands of People Were on Hand at Readville Track to See the Gelding in His Pace Against Two-Minute Mark.

READVILLE, Sept. 14.—Major Delmar made another heart-breaking attempt to break the world's trotting record to-day, and not only failed but fell behind his own record, covering the distance in 2.00 3-4.

The gelding paced throughout the race by an automobile and a runner. He made the first quarter in 30 3-4 seconds, the half in 1.00 minute flat, the three-quarters in 1.30 1-4, and the mile in 2.00 3-4.

Horsemen from all over the country were at the track, expecting another record breaking performance as the stallion had covered a mile at a previous trial in 2.00 1-4, but a quarter of a second behind the world's record of the splendid mare, Lou Dillon.

Major Delmar clung to the terrific pace set by the automobile and the runner for the first half with wonderful stamina, and when the timers noted 1.00 for the half, there was hope that he would hang up another record.

CHOOSSES W. E. PAINE FOR COMPTROLLER

Leader Murphy Urges Him to Acceot Nomination on Tammany Ticket, and He Takes Matter Under Consideration.

Tammany Hall Leader Charles F. Murphy has found the man he wants to run on the Tammany ticket for Comptroller. He has already had a quiet talk with the prospective candidate at an interview arranged by Mr. Murphy's secretary, Thomas F. Smith.

The man is W. E. Paine, a member of the Democratic, Catholic and other clubs in this city, a self-made man and a millionaire. Mr. Paine came to this city a few years ago and has carved a fortune and made a name for himself in the business world through his own efforts. He is in the lumber business. In politics he is an independent Democrat.

Mr. Paine is popular with organized labor because of his action last winter in raising the wages of his teamsters when other lumber dealers resorted to a lockout.

He has not yet given an answer to Mr. Murphy's proposal. He said to-day that he does not desire public office, his time being fully occupied by his private business interests, but that he was considering the matter.

COURT SCOLDS A COUPLE.

Finds that Wife Drinks and Husband is a Cigarette Fiend.

William Thompson, of No. 123 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, was arrested early to-day after having driven his wife and her year-old child out of the house.

When he was arraigned before Magistrate Crane in the Harlem Court he was, Mabel, was also there.

"Do you smoke cigarettes?" asked the Magistrate.

"Yes, sir, I've made every effort to stop but I can't." The Court then asked Mrs. Thompson.

"Yes, sir," Magistrate Crane then gave the couple a lecture on the evils of cigarettes and alcohol.

He would give the husband another chance to fight the cigarette habit.

IN MCKINLEY'S MEMORY.

Flags Lowered in Canton and Floral Tributes Sent to Tomb.

CANTON, O., Sept. 14.—This, the second anniversary of the death of the late President McKinley, was not observed by any formal programme in Canton. Flags were lowered on public buildings, there were some short references made in the various departments of the schools to the life and death of McKinley, and carnations were worn as a silent tribute by numerous citizens.

Mrs. McKinley this afternoon visited the McKinley vault in West Lawn Cemetery and placed floral tributes on the casket. Numerous floral pieces received from friends and strangers were also placed in the tomb. Mrs. McKinley is in good health.

M'CHESNEY WINS SPECIAL; GIANTS BEAT CARDINALS.

HIGHBALL IS THE CHAMPION

Schoffel's Two-Year-Old Establishes Himself the Best Youngster of the Year and Retires for the Season.

TOI SAN TAKES FIFTH RACE FROM WISTARITA.

Caller Is First in the Steeplechase Event—The First Race Goes to Wealth, with Divination Second.

THE WINNERS.

FIRST RACE—Wealth (6 to 1) 1, Divination (4 to 1) 2, Jound 3.

SECOND RACE—Caller (9 to 2) 1, Carrier Pigeon (12 to 1) 2, Amur 3.

THIRD RACE—Highball (4 to 1) 1, Leonidas (9 to 5) 2, Ormonde's Right 3.

FOURTH RACE—McChesney (1 to 8) 1, Goldsmith (7 to 1) 2, Sheriff Bell 3.

FIFTH RACE—Toi San (11 to 5) 1, Wistaria (20 to 1) 2, Redman 3.

SIXTH RACE—Stuyve (18 to 5) 1, Mabel Richardson (5 to 1) 2, Hoodwink 3. Aljabarch won but was disqualified.

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RACE TRACK, GRAVESEND, Sept. 14.—High Ball clinched his title to the title of champion of two-year-olds by winning the \$5,000 Junior Champion Stakes in smashing good style from William C. Whitney's Leonidas, who ran Hamburg Belle to a head in the Futurity.

Leonidas was a warm favorite in spite of the fact that he carried 122 pounds, instead of 110 pounds, as announced in the entries sent out to the newspapers. High Ball was a strong second choice.

Leonidas and Aristocracy raced together to the stretch, where Fuller challenged with High Ball. In the drive that followed Aristocracy soon quit, but High Ball and Leonidas fought it out good and game. High Ball winning by half the length of his body. Ormonde's Right was closely pressing the pair at the end and was only beaten half a length.

Rather than McChesney have a walk over in the first special William C. Whitney added Goldsmith. It was conceded, however, that Goldsmith had no chance to beat McChesney and the latter ruled a prohibitive favorite in the betting. McChesney justified the confidence reposed in him by making all his own pace and winning under wraps. W. M. Schoffel, owner of High Ball, announced after the Junior Champion that High Ball would not be raced again this season.

FIRST RACE.

Starters, whts., jocks, St. Hif. Fin. Betting. 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